

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L VIENTIANE 1076

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E.O. 11652: XGDS-4  
TAGS: PDEV SREF PINS LA FR  
SUBJECT: LAO PROTEST ALLEGED FRENCH SUPPORT OF LAO RESISTANCE

1. A FRENCH DIPLOMAT TOLD US JULY 19 THAT DIRECTOR OF  
THE DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPED NATIONS, SOMBAT CHOUNLAMANY,  
CALLED IN FRENCH AMBASSADOR ROGER DUZER DURING THE  
SECOND WEEK OF JULY TO PRESENT A FOURTEEN PAGE AIDE  
MEMOIRE ATTACKING THE FRENCH FOR ALLEGEDLY SUPPORTING  
THE ANTI-COMMUNIST LAO RESISTANCE AND ASSISTING LAO  
REFUGEES FLEEING LAOS. DUZER LEFT JULY 20 FOR SEVERAL WEEKS  
LEAVE IN FRANCE.

2. THE DIPLOMAT SAID THAT THE FRENCH HAVE NOT YET  
MADE A RESPONSE. HE ADDED THAT THE LAO HAD NOT ATTACKED  
THE FRENCH ALONG THESE LINES SINCE EARLY 1976.  
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